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ONE CENT



YOUR PRETTY WIFE

...Deserves a pretty home. Give her one by buying pretty furniture. The largest stock of

Parlor Furniture

Ever brought to Schuylkill county, now open and ready for inspection, at greatly reduced prices.

J. P. WILLIAMS & SON

House Cleaning?

Yes; it is not over yet. Well, we give you another surprise to fit up your windows. This week—

Curtain Poles Complete pole, ring, brackets and all belonging to it for **19c.**

Samples are displayed at our centre table and window. Your house does not need to look shabby, if you can buy at such figures.

Max Schmidt,

116-118 North Main Street, Shenandoah, Pa.

Girvin's

Sprinklers, Hammocks,

Warm Weather Goods,

Window Screens.

Chas. Girvin,

Successor to GIRVIN, DUNCAN & WAIDLEY,

8 South Main Street.

M. P. CONRY,

31 South Main St.

Monongahela whiskey.....50c a qt.
Pure rye whiskey, XX.....\$1 a qt.
Fine Old Bourbon, XXX.....\$1.25 a qt.
Superior Blackberry Brandy.....\$1 a qt.
Superior Cognac Brandy.....\$1.25 a qt.
Imported Jamaica Rum.....\$1.50 a qt.

Retail Liquor Store

YUENGLING'S Stock and Fresh Ale, Draught Porter and Wiener Beer. Best brands of 5c Cigars and all kinds of Temperance Drinks.

The Gradual Reduction System

Is the popular system used in the production of the High Grades of Fancy Flour sold by us. We have applied the plan of Gradual Reduction in order to make popular prices on a large lot of large size.

Fancy Moquette Rugs.

The original price was	\$4.50
The first reduction was to	4.00
The next reduction was to	3.50
Another reduction brought them to	3.00
Then down to	2.50
And now to close them out we reduce to	2.25

They are beautiful patterns and perfect goods.

WE OFFER THIS WEEK:

Three Cars No. 1 Hay.
Two Cars Choice Middlings.

TO ARRIVE NEXT WEEK:

One Car Dry Corn.
Three Cars White Oats.

Just Received:

Strictly Pure Kettle-rendered Lard.
Fresh Dairy Butter.
Fresh Creamery Butter—every other day.
New Summer Sausage, chipped.
Fancy French Prunes, large and fine.
Canned Tomatoes, extra quality and extra size cans.
Fancy Full Cream Cheese.

At KEITER'S.

VERY LONG SESSION.

Lively Time at Council Meeting Last Night.

MAJORITY AND MINORITY

The Two Factions Clash and Indulge in Some Very Warm Debates—Report Exonerating the Accused Authorities in the Salupus Case Finally Adopted.

The postponed regular meeting of the Borough Council was held last evening and for nearly five hours fourteen of the fifteen members were engaged in discussion and adjusting affairs pertaining to the interests of the people.

Minute inspector T. R. Edwards was present as a representative of the Gilbert Estate and said that in response to a request made by the borough the estate was content to set aside a plot of ground to be used by the borough of Shenandoah as a public dumping ground providing the agreement presented received the signature of the borough.

The agreement set forth that the borough should abandon all other lands then those granted and now used as dumping grounds and that should any damage by such use be caused to the underlying coal beds the borough will be responsible. The plot set aside includes all the land south of the road to Turkey Run, west of the crop falls, and north of the Shenandoah creek; and the grounds not to approach within twenty feet of the crop falls, wagon road or creek. The estate will not be required to leave coal or other material to maintain the surface designated for the dumping ground. The area assigned is 500 feet long and 350 feet wide.

The agreement was accepted and signed and the following instructions agreed upon: The Chief Burgess shall procure four sign boards designating the dumping ground and offering a reward of \$5 for the arrest of any parties dumping outside the place; that a line of posts twenty-five yards apart shall be put in position to mark the lines of the grounds; and that the Chief Burgess shall advertise in the newspapers that the grounds have been set aside as a public dumping ground.

Robert McAdam reported that in digging a ditch on Lloyd street under the L. V. tracks a sewer had been found and was not deemed safe to run the water pipes there.

Council decided to overcome the difficulty by putting a "blow off" at each end of the line at that place.

Mr. James said that the stones left upon the streets where pipes had been laid were making travel dangerous and Mr. McAdam promised to have them removed.

D. J. Doyle complained of the speed at which the electric cars are run through the borough.

A motion of Mr. Lamb, that the secretary of Council write to the Schuylkill Traction Company calling attention to the complaint and that the Chief Burgess enforce the ordinance was amended by Mr. Finney that a similar notice be sent to all railroad companies running through the town and carried as amended.

Mr. Dougherty, chairman of the lamp and watch committee, presented a majority report on the charges by Dr. John Salupus against the borough authorities for neglect of duty. The report stated that the committee had examined a number of prominent citizens, among them Rev. T. M. Morrison, R. A. Glover, J. J. Franey and Senator B. J. Monaghan and the majority had concluded that the charges preferred against the officials were unwarranted and without foundation. This report was signed by Messrs. Dougherty, Kane and Kerns.

Mr. Gable then presented a minority report which was read as follows: "Gentlemen: We, the minority members of the committee appointed by your honorable body to investigate the charges against the Chief Burgess and the police force, preferred by certain societies represented by Dr. Salupus, after hearing the evidence in this case on the evening of April 7th, would respectfully submit the following as our report: In our opinion the Chief Burgess was, to say the least, direct in the performance of his duties as the executive head of the borough. Single handed he was certainly unable to cope with so unruly a crowd, and to that extent he performed his duty as an official of the borough. But he should have gone further and provided the necessary protection that the law guarantees. In his evidence before the committee he admits that the scenes in question were 'a disgrace and a shame,' and if that be true he is certainly subject to a vote of censure by your honorable body for failing to summon the required assistance that the occasion demanded. To say that he could not get it is an acknowledgment of incompetency. He had the lawful right and more than one precedent for such a course. The Chief Burgess, in our opinion, as the executive of the borough, is not supposed to personally combat with a mob, but is sworn to guarantee to every citizen of the town equal rights and protection under the laws. It is his duty to furnish and direct the movements of a sufficiently large posse of men to suppress any contemplated or existing violation of law and order, no matter from what source it may come. To this extent he failed in his duty, and is therefore subject to censure.

As to the charge against the police force, the evidence submitted is certainly against Chief O'Hara and Lieutenant Casey. The Chief was asked by Dr. Salupus for protection. The latter gentleman requested that one of the policemen be stationed in front of his residence, and offered to pay for the same. This the Chief admits he refused to do, and the doctor was thus compelled to ask the assistance of two private citizens for the protection which the law grants him and which is the sworn duty of the police to give. The evidence of Mr. Glover shows conclusively that he had not the Rev. Monaghan and himself acted in the manner they did that Sunday evening, there would have been trouble and probably bloodshed. It is a sad commentary upon the government of the town when private citizens are compelled to give the protection which the law is supposed to guarantee and which the officials refuse to carry into effect. Mr. Glover, in his evidence, says: 'I asked O'Hara to stay there, and

as owner of the property and an American citizen, I had a right to ask the protection of the law. There was evidence of trouble, and he had a right to be there.' O'Hara refused to go into the house where the corpse was lying when asked by Dr. Salupus, and it was only after the urgent demand of Mr. Glover that he did so. This fact in itself sustains a portion of the charges. Furthermore, in the absence of the police several attempts were made by the crowd to force an entrance into the private residence of Dr. Salupus, showing conclusively that police protection was absolutely necessary. Stones were also thrown against the house, showing the temper of the mob. Ignatius Rice testified that he asked the officials to arrest certain parties, but the request was ignored. Policeman Casey testified that he accompanied the funeral as far as Main appointments street, and that as a sworn officer of the borough he fails to show that he made any effort to suppress the mob, or assist the Chief Burgess. He further testifies that he saw no crowds or anything to warrant an arrest, while the Chief Burgess and the other witnesses say that there were 300 or 400 people howling and hooting after the funeral procession. This places Mr. Casey, as a policeman of the borough, in a very unenviable light.

With this array of convicting evidence, the major portion of which was given by some of the most respectable and influential citizens of the town, your honorable body cannot, in justice to yourselves and your constituency, pass the matter over without some action. Such scenes, and more especially while the remains of a deceased citizen are being carried to their last resting place, are a disgrace to any community, and to take no cognizance of the affair will not only add to that disgrace, but will give an incentive for further and more disgraceful repetitions.

In closing this report we desire to enter our protest against the manner in which some of the members of the committee conducted themselves during the examination. Instead of acting as an impartial body for the purpose of ascertaining the true facts in the case they placed themselves in the position of defenders of the accused, and during the whole proceedings acted upon the defensive. This was certainly contrary to the object of their appointment. Refused to retract the entire population of their respective wards, and not a few, their action in this particular was certainly not consistent with our form of government, to say the least.

Mr. James moved the adoption of the minority report and Mr. Gaffigan moved that the majority report be adopted.

A bitter and stubborn wrangle followed. Mr. Lamb asked that an eye and may vote be called. He said it was impossible to say at what hour the action of Council in backing up such lawlessness might be called up again.

Mr. Gallagher said he wished to be understood as a peaceable citizen. But on an occasion of this kind the others could do nothing when a riot was going on.

Mr. James said: "There were two different occasions. Four years ago the riot was on account of a strike here. This last one was on a day of funeral passing through the town and I never heard tell of such a scene on a day of a funeral. We do not know when this thing will be repeated and we cannot tell who the party will be who will be interfered with. There is no doubt the action of that party that day was a disgrace to any civilized community; and being present at a part of the examination I must say the members of the majority of the committee stood right here and defended the people who were charged with raising this disturbance; stood for five solid hours, and they doing so was as big a disgrace as ever was committed in this Council room; and I want to place myself on record. I am not in favor of supporting lawlessness of that kind."

Mr. Kane said he wanted Messrs. Lamb and James to understand that he wanted to be put on record as being as much a law-abiding citizen as they are. He said he showed no partiality at the examination and his intention was to do justice.

Mr. Straughn said an adoption of the majority report would put the Council in the predicament of defending lawlessness, and set a bad precedent for this body.

The evidence taken at the examination was called for and Mr. Dougherty said it was at home.

A motion was then made to postpone action until the evidence could be produced, but this the Democratic members defeated by a vote of 7 to 6.

Finally the majority report was adopted on the following vote: Aye—Kane, Gallagher, Melusky, Gaffigan, Kerns, Gallagher, Dougherty and Hand—8; Nay—Finney, McKelheny, James, Lamb, Straughn and Gable—6.

The case of Policeman George Walatits, who is charged with not being present at the funeral, was brought up, but as the secretary had unintentionally left the minority report presented at the last meeting at home, the matter was postponed until the next meeting.

Upon the suggestion of Solicitor Pomeroy, and amended motion of Mr. Finney, it was decided that a statement of the borough's assets and liabilities be published in all the town papers.

The question of the grade of Pear Alley, between Centre and Lloyd streets, was up again and referred to the survey committee with power to act.

The finance committee presented the following report and it was adopted:

RESOURCES.	
Due from Tax Collectors.....	\$ 9,775.10
License.....	12,000.00
Chief Burgess.....	45.00
1894 duplicate.....	8,000.00
Total.....	\$31,220.10

APPROPRIATIONS.	
Chief Burgess.....	\$ 600
Police.....	3,024
Secretary.....	250
Treasurer.....	150
Policeman's salary and law expenses.....	150
Roads and Highways.....	8,500
Street paving.....	3,000
Lamp and Watch Committee.....	300
Sanitary Committee.....	100
Construction Committee.....	100
Room and Stationery Committee.....	200
Lamp Committee.....	200
Fire apparatus.....	250
Redemption and interest on bonds.....	3,500
Street lighting.....	4,212
Board of Health.....	700
Retaining water bonds, interest and redemption.....	4,250.10
Fire company.....	1,500
Brandywine road.....	500
Total.....	\$1,220.10

The law committee reported that it had investigated the claim for damages made by George Schlicher, who broke his leg at the corner of Lloyd and Chestnut streets, on March 18th, last. Mr. Schlicher would settle for \$100 out of court, but in case of suit would ask for more. The committee was empowered to make a settlement for \$100.

In the case of the claim of Mrs. Brailer

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OTHER ARRESTS MADE

Joseph Patterson and His Accomplices in Jail.

ONE OF THEM CONFESSES

The Gang Supposed to Have Committed the Many Burglaries in This County Now Behind the Bars—Other Arrests to be Made.

In last evening's HERALD mention was made of the arrest of Joseph Patterson, by officers from Minersville, charged with being implicated in numerous burglaries that have been committed in that town and neighborhood recently. Upon reaching Minersville yesterday Patterson was given a hearing before one of the justices of that place. The prisoner waived a hearing, and was committed to jail in default of bail.

Warrants have also been issued for a number of others who are alleged to be implicated in the crime. Among them is John Crow, of Minersville, who was committed Sunday night on a charge of receiving stolen goods, the property of George R. Coombs. Thomas Moser and Peter Burgett are also implicated. The former is now in the Sanbury jail. Young Burgett is in the county jail at present charged with burglarizing the house of Mrs. Brodt, at Llewellyn, when a watch, a sum of money and other valuables, the property of Rev. Francis Fox, of the M. E. church of Llewellyn, were stolen.

There are said to be a number of others implicated with those already arrested, but the authorities refuse to divulge the names. The clue which led to the arrest of Patterson and his accomplices was given to James Price several weeks ago by a resident of Minersville, showing the burglars to be the men who committed the burglary at Heckman's. It is also supposed that they are the parties who robbed the house of H. S. A. Leach, at Schuylkill Haven, and got away with a gold watch and other valuables, during the winter.

On the day preceding the burglary at Minersville the four pals are said to have met in this town, and went to Pottsville. At that place they took supper at Zimmerman's, after which they became separated. Burgett went direct to his home in Minersville, while the three others boarded a coal train for Schuylkill Haven, and from there went to the robbery at Minersville, showing the Minersville occurred.

These arrests are looked upon as a means of clearing up the mystery connected with the numerous depredations that have been committed during the winter in this and other towns throughout the county.

Friends of Crow yesterday applied to court to enter bail for his appearance, but upon objection being made by counsel, the court refused to admit him to bail. It is rumored that Burgett has made confession to counsel. The latter, when questioned in reference to the matter, refused to say whether or not Burgett had squealed upon his pals.

Little neck clams, sweet and luscious, at McKelheny's.

PERSONAL

John Smothers is the victim of a severe cold.

C. H. Anderson, of the HERALD, is on the sick list.

M. G. Wurm spent this morning at the county seat.

A. L. Hoskins, of Pottsville, was in town this morning.

John R. Leisenring, of Hazleton, was seen on our streets to-day.

Contractor M. P. Quinn, of Pottsville, transacted business here to-day.

Miss Clara Dabb has returned from a fishing trip to the Catawissa Valley.

Mine Host T. H. Hutchinson is renewing acquaintances with old-time Sanbury friends.

Inside Foreman Thomas Williams, of Langhans, transacted business at the county seat to-day.

Ex-Postmaster Christ, Eberle, of Girardville, shook hands with his numerous friends in town to-day.

John L. Williams and wife, of Mt. Carmel, was in attendance at the Price funeral in town to-day.

Louis Goldin has returned from New York City, where he purchased a large invoice of summer clothing.

Merchants Edward Brobst, Eugene, Marjorie and Joe Ball went on a fishing excursion to the Catawissa Valley yesterday.

Councilmen A. D. Gable, James Kane and Michael Dougherty attended court this morning as witnesses in the Salupus case.

Hillman's Drug store is for sale. Full investigation allowed to responsible party.

"Fathers"

This will be the subject of the talk by the blind evangelist in the M. E. church to-night. All are welcome, but Mr. Maize especially desires the presence of husbands and fathers. The talk last evening on "You can't do as you please, or obedience and humility," was listened to by a large congregation. The basis of the speaker's remarks was II Kings, 6th chapter, which contains the story of Naaman, the leper. No matter what our position in the world or society, we must all become humble and if ever saved it must be in God's way. This thought was illustrated by a relation of a number of examples, some of which were personally known to the speaker. In this connection, Mr. Maize made special mention of Col. Snowden, of the National Bureau of Education. There were seven conversions at last night's meeting. Services again this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Grocer Kehler sells ALVA Tonic. 1m

Watch Found.

The watch advertised in last evening's HERALD, as being lost, was found by John Scheidt, Jr., and returned to the owner, Mrs. Edward Brennan.

COURT NEWS.

Matters That Occupied the Attention of Court To-day.

POTTSTOWN, May 9.—The grand jury this morning in the case of the commonwealth vs. Lawrence Keating, charged with shooting Richard Amour on the night of the Gilbert riot, found a true bill against the accused. Keating is a brother of Garrett Keating, a well-known and respected citizen of Gilberton. The charge against Keating is assault with intent to kill.

A true bill was also found against John Boyle, supervisor of Foster township, charged on oath of Daniel Christian, chief of Coal & Iron police.

A true bill was also found against James Grisco and Daniel Evans, charged by Lena Long with attempted rape. The parties to this suit reside at Tamaqua.

Michael Monaghan and M. G. Brown are prosecuted by Annie E. Sickles for assault and battery with intent to rape. The grand jury found a true bill.

A number of Councilmen and other citizens of Shenandoah were in attendance at court this morning, summoned to appear before the grand jury as witnesses in the Salupus case, but they were not called to testify. The case goes over to the June term of court.

Lobster salad fresh, and toothsome, at McKelheny's cafe.

To the Public.

I have just returned from New York City, where I purchased a large stock of novelties in light summer suits, all shades. This is the best line of summer goods ever brought to Shenandoah. As they were purchased at a very low figure I am enabled to dispose of them to the advantage of the public at a full suit nearly as cheap as a single pair of pantaloons will cost you elsewhere. A big line of boys' summer suits. We have the nicest stock of children's light suits, with or without sailor collars, in the county. Such novelties have never been offered before to the people of Shenandoah and vicinity. Mothers, if your boys need clothing, call and look at our variety of suits. A large line of men's black sack suits, single breasted and round cut; also double breasted and straight cut. All kinds of long-tailed frocks of the latest styles. Large line of men's pantaloons, and an immense assortment of hats. Just received sixty cases of hats—30 cases of straw hats, all shapes for men, boys and children. Also thirty cases of stiff hats, brown and black. All shapes and colors in Fedora hats.

LOUIS GOLDIN,
9 and 11 South Main Street,
Shenandoah, Pa.

Devilled crabs, fresh and rich, at McKelheny's.

P. M. Appointments.

The Primitive Methodist church conference closed its sessions at Girardville yesterday. Among the appointments made were the following: Tamaqua, Rev. G. Lees; Mahanoy City, Rev. S. T. Nichols; Girardville, Rev. T. M. Bateman; Mt. Carmel, Rev. Charles Prosser; E. Clair, Rev. W. J. Richards; Pottsville, O. E. supplied; Shenandoah, Rev. J. Bar; Gilberton, Rev. J. McInnes; Haver, J. Proude, who has served so acceptably in this city for the past two years, goes to Taylor, Lackawanna county.

Crab salad, deliciously seasoned, at McKelheny's.

Strikers Not Angry.

Special to the HERALD.

UNIONTOWN, May 9.—Another outbreak has occurred between the striking coke miners and non-union men at this place to-day. The fight occurred at the Hill farm between forty strikers and half as many deputies. None of the strikers were injured, but four non-union men were badly beaten. Richard Harburger was fatally injured.

Buried at Pottsville.

The funeral of the late Thomas Price, who died at the residence of his son-in-law, Hon. John W. Morgan, on Sunday last, took place at noon to-day. The funeral left on the 12:30 P. & R. train for Pottsville, where interment was made in the Old Fellows' cemetery at that place, and was largely attended.

For the Ladies.

A photograph has been placed in the dining room of McKelheny's cafe, on the second floor, for the especial accommodation of the lady patrons of that popular resort. The photograph will be in operation during the day and evening.

Purchased a Saloon.

Ex-County Commissioner James Bowes, of Girardville, has purchased the saloon of M. Peters, on North Main street, and will assume charge in a few days. Mr. Peters will move his family to the new building erected by him on Market street.

Monaghan's Bargains.

A good quality home-made rag carpet at 30 cents a yard; nice table cloth, 15 cents a yard; good dress gingham, 6 cents a yard; the best 30-cent carpet in the market. Lace curtains and dress goods of all kinds cheap.

P. J. MONAGHAN,
No. 28 S. Main St., Shenandoah.

A Rare Chance!

An old violin, Cremona pattern, for sale cheap. Call early at Reese's auction room, Dougherty building.

We do laundry work for 800 customers every week. Drop us a card and we will call for you. Brennan's Steam Laundry, Dry, South Main street. 4-10-11

No More Disappointment.

No more delays. We have now made arrangements to have finest CREAMERY BUTTER always in stock. We sell you no imitations. Come yourself or send the children. They will get Creamery if they ask for it.

Graf's

122 North Jardin Street